XM Radio was offered to me free for a trial period when I purchased my new car. I at first thought I would never listen to all those stations and certainly would never pay to listen. During my trial period I went on a trip from Detroit to Florida. XM Radio was wonderful. I didn't have to keep changing stations from city to city, to keep tuned, as I progressed South. I also was able to keep tabs on a storm that was headed toward my home while on the trip. I felt like I had some control over my home while away. I was able to tune in to the Tampa traffic report, without having to go to more than my XM Instant Traffic & Weather Chanel. Please leave us alone we like all forms of radio. I still listen to local radio simply because it is truly local. Please reject NAB petition 04-160. Thank You.